LONDON PLAYS THAT PREACH

MAUGHAM'S "SMITH" THE LAST ZO POINT A MORAL.

Some Frank Conversations on Child Bearing and an Attack on the Bridge Playing, Cigarette Smoking Woman of Society-"The Dollar Princess."

LONDON, Oct. 2.-Undoubtedly the English stage is becoming uncommonly like a pulpit. Within the last few weeks we have had three of the most popular playwrights of the day each mounting upon a stump and delivering a tirade, and not a very clever one, against some particular evil of modern life.

First came Sir Arthur Pinero with a strong attack on the evil of the childless marriage, in his play "Mid-Channel" at the St. James Theatre. Then Alfred Sutro with a somewhat vapid attack on the evil of bringing up children improperly in the "Making of a Gentleman at the Garrick. And now comes Mr. Maugham discoursing from the stage of the Comedy Theatre on the general evils of life in London, with its bridge playing, cigarette smoking women who will not bear children, its easygoing husbands who never bother about their wives, and its horde of "tame cats" or playwright are young men at the beck and call of pretty married women who consent to be lunched and dined daily at the expense of their hostesses

Some years ago an unsuccessful poet the late John Davidson, wrote a piece called "Smith, a Tragedy." Mr. Maugham, the successful dramatist, calls his new piece "Smith" a comedy. Mr. Maugham's first recognized work

was a very thoughtful and serious drama. "The Man of Honour," and when the Stage Society produced it it caused quite a sensation. From a managerial point of view it was worthless, but from every other point of view it was more worth while than anything he has ever done since. Mr. Maugham himself has often said that the success of the "Man of Honour" was a detriment to his career Managers would not accept his work. They would not believe that he could write comedy until "Lady Frederick" convinced them of their mistake; then they lost no time in securing his services. Since then he has written only the lightest of light comedy. The Stage Society shakes its intellectual head and feels that he has sold his birthright for a mess of pottage, but Mr. Maugham is prospering nevertheless. In "Smith" can almost fancy that he is trying once more to write the play with a purpose. It is comedy to be sure, but with an attempt at something deeper; some intense noments, thought provoking situations. It would seem, however, that the playwright has lost his cunning in serious work, for the intense moments fall flat

One of the weakest points in "Smith" is that one cannot help but know from the beginning the outcome of the play, but it takes four acts to develop the plot and work up to the dénouement.

A young man, a tiresome and preachy young man, comes back from Rhodesia, where he has become a successful farmer and finds the metropolitan society which he used to admire somewhat absurdly and irredeemably corrupt. His sister is a fashionable, heartless worldling who flirts with a brainless youth who sponges upon her; his brother-in-law is an empty headed idiot; all his sister's women friends care for is eigarettes and bridge playing The only decent person in the whole outfit is the housemaid, Smith. The young man wants a healthy, wholesome woman who will help him and bear children for him. He wishes her to be honest, simple and competent. She need not necessarily he says, "Place any healthy man and roman together and love will come."

Naturally within his sister's social circle the farmer has small chance of finding what he wants, but the audience have long since known that he will end by deciding upon Smith. He does, but she refuses him because he is a gentleman and she would rather marry a strong workingman. His rival in her affections is the porter, but the farmer proves to her he is the better man of the two when he draws the recalcitrant cork of a clare bottle that the porter has tried his boasted strength upon and failed to move. Smith capitulates. She tells the porter that if he can't pull out the cork of a bottle that a entleman can manage easily he must be "a poor little thing," and yields her affection to the farmer.

Mr. Maugham is nothing if not outspoken in his criticisms of modern customs, and one would suppose that the censor's suscentibilities must have been shocked at some of the conversation in the play, but as it passed all right possibly the moral carried it through, for the worldly ones have an unpleasant time. while Smith and the farmer apparently can look forward to happiness and prosperity for the rest of their natural lives. Robert Loraine made as much of the

farmer hero as he possibly could, and Miss Marie Lohr was a Smith who was so pretty and refined that any family in the peerage might have welcomed her as a daughter-in-law with pride.

The play was well received. The second and third acts were so dull and the preaching so evident that the fate of the comedy hung fire, but a charming love last night at a special meeting of the scene between the gentleman farmer and the housemaid in the last act, written in York held at the New York Academy of Mr. Maugham's best vein, sent the audi- Medicine to celebrate the 100th birthday ence away pleased.

"The Dollar Princess" bids fair to rival the doctor who was remembered. the "Merry Widow" in the hearts of the English public. Crowded houses and tremendous advance bookings prove that. The production is a very costly one. A superb setting and costumes on which no expense has been spared, and which are so up to date that they are said to herald the fashions for next spring, have helped to secure for "The Dollar Princess" the enthusiasm which its tuneful music and amusing book entitle it to in any

A very modest production of a musical play followed the gorgeousness of the Daly opera when the "Mountaineers" was presented at the Savoy on Wednesevening. An operatic actor-manager is a rare thing in theatrical annals, but G. H. Workman has undertaken the rôle. He has produced the "Mountaineers" and plays the principal comedy part

The new musical play is wholesome and pretty with a certain delicate charm. The book is by Guy Eden and Reginald

edelweiss plucked from a perilous peak.

Conrad goes in quest of the flower, but

Frits being weather wise has foreseen
a storm and stays at home. As Conrad does not return, however, Fritz goes in search of him and saves his life. When both suitors come back Clarice choose Fritz, and the wedding is about to take place when an officer comes with word that war is declared and that Fritz must go to the front unless a substitute can be found. Conrad volunteers to go in his stead, and the curtain falls amid gen-

eral rejoicings. The traditions of the Savoy were kept up by the excellent singing and acting, and some of the traditional Sullivan atmosphere seemed to linger about Mr. Somerville's lyrics. The members of the cast were many of them ex-singers in

the Gilbert and Sullivan operas. Mr. Yorke, whose difficulties with the Lord Chamberlain over his plans for the Aldwych Theatre have been interesting the theatrical world, has managed to straighten matters out. Since he cannot have a band give a concert at his theatre unless he has a new sort of license, he has written a play and introduces the concert into that. The piece is called "The Musical Martians" and is in the form of a musical comedy. The scene is laid in the "Indian Court of the Great Exhibition of 1910." In this scene there will be a bandstand large enough to accommodate possile dogs" who according to the the fifty members of the American band who will perform there. The action of the play will take place on and around the bandstand.

GADSKI TALKS ON SINGING.

Savs American Girls With Voices Need to Go to Europe to Acquire Art. CHICAGO, Oct. Q .- Mme. Johanna Gadski, who is here to sing to-morrow, said

this afternoon: "Why is it that your American girls must take their marvellous voices to Europe? There is more love of art in Chicago, in New York, than there abroad. Singers with great names in Europe who can shout and can scream come to America and are nobody. It is because the American sknow the very best music and must have art. But you need grand opera in English in all your cities. Without that you will waste all this rich talent that is yours."

Talk of a clash of the music makers—when Mme. Gadski in Orchestra Hall and Mme. Marcella Sembrich in the Auditorium.

Mme. Marcella Sembrich in the Auditorium Theatre were to have met the same
afternoon in a rivalry of tilting strains—
has been silenced. Mme. Sembrich telegraphed that she had "a little bronchitis"
and Mme. Gadski will sing alone.
"But it was such nonsense to talk of
enemyship between Mme. Sembrich and
me," protested Mme. Gadski, with an eloquent sween of her ayms

quent sweep of her arms.

"Not 'enemyship," interposed Herr
Teuscher, Gadski's husband. "The word

is 'enmity'."

"Yes, yes," echoed the songstress. "We know nothing about all this. My plan in Chicago is for business only. Formerly I have come here under Mr. Neumann. This year my manager in New York says it shall be Mr. Wessels. All that is nothing

"But really I am sorry that Mme. Sem-brich and I shall not sing the same day. It would test Chicago's love of art. But Mme. Sembrich and I are friends."

BOSTON TO HAVE OPERA WAR.

to Appear at the Same Time.

BOSTON, Oct. 9 .- From the Metropolitan Opera House, through the Boston Opera ment of the plans of the management of the Metropolitan for the eleven performances that it will undertake at the formances that it will undertake at the Boston Opera House in January, March and April of next year. The performances will fall into groups of five and six respectively, the first in the middle of January, the second at the end of March and the beginning of April, when the Manhattan company will also be holding the stage of the Boston Theatre.

Boston then will have an operatic warfare. The circular from the Metropolitan Opera House says:

"The Metropolitan Opera Company will give at the Boston Opera House during the season eleven performances."

will give at the Boston Opera House during the season eleven performances, eight evenings and three matinées. The repertory will include the Metropolitan's greatest operas, and the management begs to assure its patrons that everything is being done that can be done to present in Boston the highest possible number of the company's great artists."

YVETTE IN ENGLISH.

The French Singer Wonders Why Sunday Concerts Are Called Sacred.

Yvette Guilbert, with more embonpoint than she had when she was last in New York, returned yesterday by the Hamburg-American liner Kaiserin Au-guste Victoria. Besides plumpness Mme. Guilbert has acquired a knowledge of English that will enable her to sing in the language. She showed in the English she practised on the reporters that she has been a faithful student of the idio-matic as well as the classical. She pro-fessed to be a bit shocked when she learned that vaudeville performers played here in "sacred concerts." She said she was glad that she had to work only six days a week. This, she said, was very hard work, as she had to dress and undress eight times a day for the matinee and

eight times a day for the matines and night performances.

"Why," she asked, "do you call them sacred concerte? It is too bad to use a good word in that way."

Mme. Guilbert will appear to-morrow night at the Colonial Theatre. She says she will not wear any sensational gowns but will "just sing."

DOCTORS REMEMBER HOLMES.

R. W. Gilder Reads a Poem at a 100th

Anniversary Celebration. Richard Watson Gilder read a poem of Oliver Wendell Holmes. It was Holmes

Dr. Abraham Jacobi presided and Dr. Maurice H. Richardson of Boston gave Maurice H. Richardson of Boston gave personal recollections of Holmes as a lecturer on anatomy in the Harvard medical school in 1876. Dr. Richardson told of the autocrat's popularity and quoted some of his classroom sayings, such as "The physician's highest ambition is to have some loathsome disease named after him." Dr. Edward O. Otis followed with a paper on "Dr. Holmes's Achievements as a Physician."

Prof. Henry Van Dyke was to have been present, but he wrote regrets from Europe. Dr. William Hanna Thomson spoke on "Holmes the Man," and then Mr. Gilder gead this poem:

God bless the day; but he hath blessed (How many millon mortals know it)
That happy day when in the west
Was born the wise and witty poet.
The bard who first to science sought
And to the Merry Muses after Who learned a secret never taught.

The knowledge of men's tears and laughter.

Huntington Wilson Recovering From Operation for Appendicitis.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.-Huntington Wil-Somerville and the music by Mr. Somerville.

The scene is laid in an Alpine village where the pretty daughter of a customs officer has two suitors. As she is unable to decide between them it is proposed that they were her after the encient fashion of the village, that is, with a bunch of the village, that is, with a bunch of the content of the content of the village, that is, with a bunch of the content of the content of the village, that is, with a bunch of the content of the content of the content of the village, that is, with a bunch of the content of

GOMPERS READY FOR PRISON

FREE SPEECH, AS HE PUTS IT.

Didn't Knew Non-Union Men Loaded the

be handed down. In regard to this Mr. Gompers said:

"I am ready to go to prison anywhere in the defence of American free speech The American Federation is accused of boycotting the Bucks Stove and Range Company, which got out an injunction restraining John Mitchell, Frank Morrison myself and others from advising union men not to patronize the company. We were charged with being guilty of contempt of court because by speech and publication we advised a continuation of the boycott. We are under sentence of six months imprisonment for this alleged

Mr. Gompers said he had found conditions on the other side, so far as the masses were concerned, not so good as they should be. Curiously enough, he says, the most contented people seemed to be the poorest, except perhaps in the case of France. The French were naturally contented. They were a frugal people, and content was a characteristic of the frugal Frenchman. Mr. Gompers said he believed in a healthy discontent with existing conditions. The discontent

said he believed in a healthy discontent with existing conditions. The discontent however, should be well organized and conducted. Under such circumstances discontent made for social improvement and was for the good of all the people.

Mr. Gompers said the result of the various international labor conferences was to bring the workers of the world into closer touch and that the working people of the Continent and England had come to understand each other better; also the working folk of America had been benefited by the conferences. They tended to create a constructive trade movement of create a constructive trade movement of

nternational scope.

He said that the reports that his sug-

afternoon, which will be followed by a torchlight parade in the evening.

Harry Lauder Returns.

Harry Lauder, the Scotch comedian. who left London to the music of bagpipes was greeted by twenty-five artists transplanted from his native soi, who made the rafters squeak as the Cunarder Campania warped into her dock yesterday morning. Down the bay there were also bagpipers aboard the steamboat Commodore chartered by the Caledonian Society of this city to escort the Scotsman up the bay. Lauder will open at the Plaza to-morrow night. After appearing at the Morris theatres in Boston and Brooklyn he will return here for a long engagemen at the American Theatre

The marriage of Acosta Nichols and Miss Elizabeth Abbott Lane was celebrated at noon yesterday in the Madison Square Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Dr. Henry Sloane Coffin performed the cerem The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, James Warren Lane, wore a white satin gown and carried a bouquet of white satin gown and carried a bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. There were no bridesmaids. The best man was George Livingston Nichols, a brother of the bridegroom. A wedding breakfast and reception were given at the residence of Mr. Lane, 16 East Seventy-ninth street. Among those present were Miss Mabelle F. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lovell, Jr., Miss Charlotte Lane, Warren Hooper, Mr. and Mrs. George Livingston Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Louis James Phelps and Spencer Trask, After their honeymoon trip Mr. and Mrs. Nichols will live at 102 East Sixty-fifth street.

Hanlon-Cameron

GLEN RIDOR, N. J., Oct. 9.-At the home o Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnstone, 100 Ridge-wood avenue, to-night Miss Natalie Cam-eron, daughter of the late Adjt.-Gen. Francis Cameron of North Carolina, was married to Lieut. Arthur Hanlon, formerly of Fort to Lieut. Arthur Hanlon, formerly of Fort Snelling, Minn., now coach of the West Point Military Academy football squad. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Shipman of New York, a former chapialn at West Point. The bride's only attendant was her sister, Mrs. Charles Burnett of Fort Snelling, Minn., who was the matron of honor. The bridegroom and his best man, Edward Hayes of Fort Snelling, were rin full uniform, as were also a number of guests from West Point and Fort Snelling. The bride lwas gowned in white satin and carried a large bouquet of lilies of the valley. A reception followed the ceremony. Lieut. and Mrs. Hanlon will reside at West Point.

STAMFORD, Conn., Oct. 9.—Miss Julia Agnes Collender, daughter of Mrs. William Agnes Collender, daughter of Mrs. William Vincent Collender and granddaughter of the late Hugh W. Collender, was married at noon to-day to Luther Connah Brown of Worcester, Mass., at St. John's Church. The Rev. C. M. Addison, the rector, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Louis French, rector of St. Luke's, Noroton.

The bride was attended by Miss Frances Brown and Master Anson Brown of Worcester, who preceded her up the sisle carrying a basket of rosebuds. The bride was given away by her brother, William A. Collender. The best man was Irving Swan Brown, brother of the bridegroom.

IN SOCIETY.

A gay autumn and winter season is opening and now that the celebration is an affair of yesterday dates for luncheons, dinners, teas, dances and weddings are being arranged. Good old customs are giving way to newer modes and apparently the winter's débutantes will be on view before the annual Tuxedo ball, so often mentioned as the first big society are the season is of choice flowers and the bride will be attended by Mrs. George W. Hill as matron of honor. The Misses Caroline Fuller and Mary Duke of New York, Sybil Harrison of Tarrytown and Ruth Pratt of Indianapolis will be bridesmaids. J. West Hornor, Jr., will assist his brother as best man and the Messes. Bobert L. Thompson and Herbert H. Neal will be included in the list of unhers. There will be a big reception afterward. IF HE MUST SUFFER IT FOR affair of yesterday dates for luncheons. Bidn't Knew Nen-Uniten Men Leaded the
Ship He Came On-Registers Here Befere Geing to Meet His Fate and a
Torchlight Parade in Washington.

President Samuel Gompers of the
American Federation of Labor landed
yesterday from the French liner La
Savoie and said he was surprised to
learn that the ship had been laden at
Havre by non-union men. He was
greeted at the pier by his father, who is
32 years old, and by delegations from
labor organizations. He has been attending the British trades union congress,
the congress of federated trade unions
and the international labor conference
at Paris. He had not the right to vote
at any of these assemblages but was
invited to speak, which he did, often and
without brevity. He hurried back to be
in Washington on Monday, when the
decision on his appeal in the case of
the Manage Company is to
be handed down. In regard to this Mr.

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the week, is still sojourning at Newport with her father, R. T. Wilson. Sir Herbert Praed of London has been at the Manhat-Praed of London has been at the Manhattan during the week. Sir William H. White and Lady White returned to England on Wednesday. The Hon. J. M. Balfour and Mrs. Balfour are at the St. Regis. Lady Algernon Gordon-Lennox of Broughton Castle, Banbury. England, has since she returned from visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hastings at Westbury. L. I., been domiciled at the Hotel Wolcott. Admiral Lord Charles Beresford arrived on Friday morning from Hot Springs, Va., with Col. Robert M. Thompson.

The marriage of Miss Natalie de Froideville Brown and the Rev. James McClure Henry will take place to-morrow evening at the Adams Chapel, 700 Park avenue. at the Adams Chapel, 700 Park avenue. Afterward the bride's parents, the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Francis Brown, will give a reception at their home in East Seventieth street. With the invitations were issued at home cards at Fabi Canton, China, for after January 1. The Rev. Mr. Henry, now a missionary in China, was the pastor of Peck Memorial Chapel, Georgetown, D. C.

of Dr. Frederick M. Bogan, U. S. N., and Miss Helen Dean, to be celebrated at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Dean, at Minneapolis. The ceremony will be performed at 8 o'clock by the Rev. Andrew Gillies, and the bride will be attended by Miss Louise Hill. a classmate of Smith College, and Miss Carolyn Dean as bridesmaids. Miss Agnes Dean will be her sister's maid of honor and Julia Thorpe, a cousin of four summers. flower maiden. Lieut. Samuel W. Bogan of the United States Marine Corpe will assist his brother as best man. The couple will go on afterward to Portsmouth, N. H., where Dr. Bogan is now stationed.

big noon wedding yesterday in the Madison Square Fresbyterian Church, will after their bridal jaunt make their home after their bridal home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs.

reate a constructive trade movement of international scope.

He said that the reports that his suggestion of an international federation was turned down at the International Labor Conference were erroneous.

On the contrary, he said, 'the conference decided to take the matter up at its, next meeting. I was not a member of the conference and could not make a motion, but the suggestion was well received and will certainly be acted on. The conference and he component union representatives are in a Sekretariat, which is a sort of academic institution, while the policy of the American Federation of Labor is a constructive one. The international federation of labor will come. Of that I have not the slightest doubt."

To cover all the ground he had been instructed to cover Mr. Gompers said he had to do some hustling. He was accompanied by James W. Sullivan of Typographical Union No. 6 on most of his trips. They visited nearly all the apitals and manufacturing centres of Europe. They took a fifteen day round trip into Italy and did not like the sleeping accommodations. They interviewed the labor leaders and officials of Italy and came to the conclusion, Mr. Sullivan said, that the Italian Government was taking conscientious care of emigrants bound for America.

Mr. Gompers, whose voting residence is in New York, registered yesterday and will be here on election day to vote. He wouldn't say what ticket he would vote. He wouldn't

was a notably big and smart affair. A number of New Yorkers went on for the

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore P. Shonts, Miss Marguerite Shonts and the Duchesse de Chaulnes, now at Hot Springs, Va., will return here in November to their apartments in the Plaza. The Duchess de Chaulnes will be likely to retain her mourning for a few months until her two years of widowhood are completed. This week the family will go on to Chicago.

Miss Mary Van Alen left on Wednesday for her home in England. She passed the summer at Newport for the first time

ceremonies were performed when their wedding was celebrated on Monday in that city, one in the Roman Catholic Church of St. Philippe du Roule and one Church of St. Philippe du Roule and one at the residence of the bride's father. Rodman Wanamaker, was very unusual. The Rev. Dr. Alfred G. Mortimer, who went on to Paris to officiate at the Protestant ceremony, is the rector of St. Marks, Philadelphia, the church attended there by Mr. Wanamaker and his family. Miss Marie Louise Wanamaker, one of the two bridesmaids, a younger sister of the bride, is one of the attractive girls of the American colony in Paris and a prospective heiress.

The marriage of Miss Esther Caldwell Townsend and Capt. Frank E. Evans, United States Marine Corps, retired, of Washington, will take place at St. John's Church, Elizabeth, N. J., next Saturday afternoon, October 16, at 4 o'clock. The afternoon, October 16, at 4 o'clock. The bride's attendants will include Mrs. Clarkson Runyon of Elizabeth and her sisters, Mrs. Charles F. Osborn and Miss Loie Townsend of Philadelphia. Frederick Evans of New York will assist his brother as best man, and Major Henry Leon and Capt. L. Mason Gulick, Capt. Harry R. Lay, Capt. Douglas C. McDougal of the Marine Corps, William H. Merriam and Frederick de C. Faust of Washington, Clarkson Runyon of Elizabeth and Franklin Briggs of Newark and William F. McCombs. Jr., classmates at Princeton, '98, of the bridegroom, will be ushers.

Tuesday week, October 19, is the day fixed for the wedding of Miss Mildred B. Glesson and Franklin Escher, which B. Gleason and Franklin Escher, which will be celebrated at the St. Regis. The ceremony will be performed in the afternoon by the Rev. Herbert Shipman, rector of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, and the bride will be given in marriage by her father, John Blanchard Gleason.

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Hicks—Baird.

Annapolis, O.t. 9.—Miss Cornelis W. Baird, daughter of Capt. William Baird, U. B. A., retired, and First Lieut. William W. Hicks, U. S. A., were married here to day at St. Anne's Protestant Episcopal Church by the rector, the Rev. William McCemas. The bridegroom was graduated from the Naval Academy in 1908, but was tioned at Fort Adams, R. I.

ceremony will be performed in the afternoon in the leaventy here bething n. rector of the Heaventy Rest, sit. 318.50; Guttenberg, \$16.35; Town of Union, \$16.80; Guttenberg, \$16.55; Town of Union, \$16.80; Cast Newark, \$18.21.

The county tax rate was fixed at \$4.08, and the State school tax is \$2.60. The rates for the municipalities are fixed by adding these to the local rates.

Cambies And Checks. We sell Mailiard's, Park & Tilford's, Wallaces's, Checks. Hence and Suchard's, ave of the best tensered to the army. He is now stationed at Fort Adams, R. I.

The wedding of Miss Florence Alliso and Charles Herbert Covell will take place in All Angels' Protestant Episcopa Church, Eighty-first street and West October 14. The Rev. Dr. S. De Lancey Townsend will perform the ceremony, and the bride will be given away by her father. Thomas Allison, with whom she will enter. She will be attended by her sisters, Mrs. Arthur Alexander Crosby and Mrs. Edward Austin Choate, as matrons of honor. William S. Covell will assist his brother as best man, and the Mesers A. A. Crosby F. A. Choate John Mesers. A. A. Crosby, E. A. Choate, John Tingue Reid, Rowland H. Smith, Isaac Nelson and William M. Allison will be ushers.

Miss Maude Loper Dorman and the Rev. Clifton H. Brewster, rector of Trinity Protestant Episcopal Church, Roslyn, L I., will be married next Tuesday after A big out of town wedding set for next

I. will be married next Tuesday afternoon, October 12, in Holy Trinity Church, Columbia Heights, Brooklyn. Bishop Burgess will perform the ceremony, assisted by the Rev. Dr. John Howard Melish, rector of the church. The bride will enter with her father, Joseph R. Dorman, who will give her in marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Acosta Nichols, who was Miss Elizabeth Abbott Lane until the big noon wedding yesterday in the Madi-

from Europe next Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. George F. Baker, who arrived on Thursday from their European trip, went on to their country house at Tuxedo. Mrs. W. G. Cavendish Bentinck arrived on Thursday from England and will visit her mother and her twin sister, Mrs. Maturin Livingston, who came over with her and Mrs. Ogden Mills. Mrs. Bentinck was left a widow a few months since. Mr. and Mrs. Amory S. Carhart, who returned from a European trip on Thursday. will pass the late autumn at their place at Tuxedo.

Invitations have been received here for the marriage of Miss Frances C. Dickinson and George H. Barbour, Jr. The ceremony will be performed at the home of the bride's parents, former Postmaster-General, and Mrs. Don M. Dickinson, at Trenton, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jones Ford of Princeton have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Dorothy ment of their daughter, Miss Dorothy
Ford, to Mr. Thomas Hildt of Baltimore.
The marriage will take place on Wednesday, November 24, at Trinity Church,
Princeton. Mr. and Mrs. Ford lived in
Baltimore for two years before Mr. Ford
was made professor of politics in Princeton University, where he succeeded Prof.
James R. Garfield, now president of
Williams College. Mr. Hildt is a son of
Mr. and Mrs. George C. Hildt of Baltimore.

The engagement is announced of Miss and Mrs. Charles Blair Macdonald of Roslyn, L. I., to H. J. Whigham. The marriage will take place the latter part of November. Frances Macdonald, daughter of Mr.

JUSTICE MOODY IMPROVING. Secretary Says He Is Recovering Slowly

From His Attack of Rheumatism HAVERHILL, Mass., Oct. 9.—The report that Associate Justice William H. Moody of the United States Supreme Court, who has been at his home in this city for the last month, was critically ill is denied by John A. Kraatz, his private secretary

The Dowager Countess de Sibour arrived from Europe some days age, also Countess Cardelli, Countess d'Aramon and Marquis and Marquise Francisco del P. Fernandez de Valle. Viscountess Benoit d'Azy is here from France. Count de Montaigne left on Wednesday for his home in France.

M. and Mme. de Heeren will while off on their honeymoon travel in Switzerland and Italy. They will locate when they return at 8 Avenue du Parc Monceau, Paris. The fact that two ceremonies were performed when their

HIS NAME WORTH DOUBLE. Paul Kelly's Ball Twice That of Tony

Tony Vacarelli was in the Tombs court resterday accused of complicity in election frauds in Hoboken. Magistrate Steinert fixed bail at \$1,000 pending propeedings for extradition. Vacarelli had his bondsman ready, and while the bond was in preparation the Magistrate was informed that Vacarelli was a much more "And what's that?" asked the Court.

"Paul Kelly," was the reply.
"Hold on, tear up that bond!" said the
Magistrate. "If that's Paul Kelly I'm
going to increase the bail to \$2,000." And
then he said a few things to the Jersey
policeman for not making the case plain
at the start.

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Eugene Driscoll went on the bond. Kelly denied the accusation brought against him.

"I seem to suggest election frauds to every one," said Paul. "I'll bet that if there was a ballot box stuffed in South Africa to-morrow they'd all yell 'Paul Kelly!"

Hudson County Tax Rates. Jersey City's tax rate for 1909-1910 was

struck yesterday at \$18.77 per \$1,000 worth of ratables, as against \$19.28 for 1908-1909. decrease of fifty-one points. The tax rates for the other municipalities

in Hudson county as announced by the county tax board are as follows: Bayonne, \$19.79; Hoboken (old), \$17.24; annexed district, \$16.54; North Bergen,

Stern Brothers

To-morrow, Monday

Imported Cloaks and Wraps

COMPRISING THE SEASON'S MOST DESIRABLE NOVELTIES, SUITABLE

For Wear at the Horse Show and Opera \$85.00 to 395.00 Ranging in Price from

Tailor-made Walking Suits At the following Unusually Low Prices

OF WIDE WALE CHEVRON. AT \$25.00, 30.00 OF BROADCLOTH, HANDSOMELY BRAIDED, 42.50, 47.50

Decollete Evening Gowns

ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO A CHOICE SELECTION OF THE NEWEST DESIGNS IN MESSALINES, CHIFFON, CREPE METEOR AND SATINS,

AT \$35.00, 39.50, 64.50 TO 158.00

ALSO A VARIETY OF CLOTH AND SERGE ONE PIECE DRESSES

Suitable for Street and House Wear, \$19.50, 29.56 to 74.50

Very Desirable Silks

Greatly Below Usual Values Imported Satin Voile, Double Width. 42 inches wide, in the latest Paris shades, the newest fabric for Dresses and Waists,

Value \$2.75 Yard

Satin Crepe Meteor,

23 ins. wide, the latest evening and street colors, also black, Value \$1.50 Yard

Serges and Black Cloths **Exceptional Offerings**

1500 Yds. Imported Black Broadcloths, 56 INS. WIDE, LIGHT WEIGHT, HIGH LUSTRE, FOR DRESSES AND TAILOR GOWNS, Regular Price \$3.00 Yard

2500 Yds. Serges and Diagonals, 54 INS. WIDE, IN THE NEWEST COLORINGS,

Value \$1.50 and 1.75 Yard

Laces--Later Importations

OF METAL, BEADED AND COLORED NOVELTY LACE EDGES. BANDINGS, ALLOVERS AND FLOUNCINGS.

Special for To-morrow

Gold, Silver, Steel and Colored Bandings, 2 to 6 ins. wide, from 50c to \$2.88 Formerly 75c to \$4.25 Yard

Venise, Lierre, Embroidered and Fancy Net Lace Edges and Bandings, 3 to 6 ins. wide, from 45c to \$1.78 Formerly 68c to \$2.65 Yard

Direct Importations of Madeira Hand Embroidered Linens

Doz. \$1.50, 3.25, 5.50 Doyleys, 95c, 1.15, 2.75 Centre Pieces, 5.25, 5.75, 8.75 Tea Cloths, 2.50, 4.75, 5.90 Scarfs, 85c, 95c, 1.35 Napkin Pockets, 5.25, 6.50, 8.25 Tea Napkins, 2.15, 2.50, 3.75 Show Towels, 2.25, 2.75, 3.25 Pillow Cases,

Commencing To-morrow, Monday

An Unusual Sale of High Grade

Lace Curtains, Bed Sets, Cushions Scarfs and Covers

CONSISTING OF FILET ITALIEN, FLANDERS, POINT VENISE. COLBERT & OTHER COMBINATIONS, WHICH WILL BE OFFERED

At 50% of Their Original Values

at \$19.50 to 250.00 Lace Curtains, Formerly \$42.50 to 550.00 Pair

at \$68.00 to 500.00 Bed Sets.

Formerly \$185.00 to 1250.00 at \$19.00 to 375.00 Lace Covers.

Formerly \$45.00 to 775.00

Portieres

IMPORTANT ADDITIONS HAVE BEEN MADE IN THIS SECTION AND UNUSUALLY LARGE ASSORTMENTS ARE BEING SHOWN. COMPRISING PLAIN AND FIGURED VELOURS, EMBROIDERED BEAUVAIS VELVETS, ROYAL VELOURS, VERONESE TAPERTRY. FIGURED AND PLAIN ARMURES.

To-morrow, Sale of

Figured Silk Velour & Jute Velour Portleres]

Formerly \$35.00 Pair

West Twenty-third Street] 提問

at \$19.50